Jeevimaradakere of Inganahalli (Restoration).

Q.—146. Sri H. T. PUTTAPPA (Hoskote-Anekal-Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the reason for delay in restoring the 'Jeevimaradakere' of Inganahalli Village, Jadigenahalli Hobli, Hoskote Taluk ;

(*b*) whether they would order the restoration work to be taken up immediately ?

A.—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) There is no delay but the restoration of the tank has been dropped due to protests from the ryots whose lands will get submerged by restoration.

(*b*) Will be examined if the ryots agree to relinquish the lands that get submerged.

Vaddahalli Tank, Nandagudi Hobli (Restoration).

Q.—149. Sri H. T. PUTTAPPA (Hoskote-Anekal-Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it has come to their notice that the Vaddahalli Tank of Nandagudi Hobli has breached and as a result the villagers of Siddanahalli are experiencing much hardships and severe losses due to rush of waters to the villages during rainy season every year ;

(*b*) the reason for not taking up the restoration of the tank in spite of the fact that the villagers are being put to hardships every year ;

(*c*) whether they would arrange for the restoration of the tank as early as possible at least now ?

A.—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) That the tank has breached has come to notice but not the hardships and losses said to have been caused thereby.

(*b*) This is a Jodi tank and the Jodidars have not come forward to meet the cost of the restoration.

(*c*) Does not arise in view of answer to (*b*).

Beggars and Vagrants (steps to stop immigration into Bangalore City).

Q.—171. Sri P. R. RAMAIYA (Basavangudi).

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it has come to their notice that the number of vagrants and beggars, immigrating into the City of Bangalore, has been increasing year by year ;

(*b*) whether the Government have collected any statistics in this matter ;

(*c*) if so, the number of vagrants and beggars that immigrated into Bangalore between the months of January and June 1954 ;

(*d*) whether the Government have taken any steps to check this immigration of vagrants and beggars into the area of the Corporation of the City of Bangalore ; if so, what they are ?

A.—Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) No.

(*c*) Dose not arise in view of reply to (*b*).

(*d*) Does not arise in view of reply to (*a*).

Mysore Iron Works, Bhadravati (Profits earned and Bonus paid).

Q.—321. Sri M. V. RAMA RAO (Tumkur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) what bonus has been ordered to be paid to the employees of the Mysore Iron Works at Bhadravati ;

(*b*) what profits have been made by the concern in the years 1952-53 and 1953-54 ;

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(*c*) the value of the manufactured products held in stock at present;

(*d*) the exact relation between profits earned and the bonus paid?

A.—SRI H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home and Industries).—

(*a*) Three months' basic salary or wages were paid as bouns for 1952-53.

(*b*) (i) Rs. 35,45,367 for 1952-53.
(ii) Rs. 48,83,573 for 1953-54.

(*c*) Rs. 1,01,52,077 as at the end of 1953-54.

(*d*) Amount of bonus is determined each year after taking into account the profits earned by the works during that year, the nature of effort put in by the employees in securing such profits and other relevant factors.

Mysore Iron and Steel Works Bhadravati (Absorption of Probationers).

Q.—383. SRI L. SIDDAPPA (Channagiri).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it is not a fact that the Government promised at the last Budget Session that they would absorb Probationers permanently in the vacancies of Mysore Iron and Steel works;

(*b*) what action has since been taken by the Government in this matter?

A.—SRI H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home and Industries).—

(*a*) A promise was made that the position would be examined.

(*b*) The matter has accordingly been reconsidered by the Board of Management of the Works and their proposals in this behalf are now under active examination.

Industrial State Aid Act (loans granted).

Q.—423. SRI B. NARAYANASWAMY (Mysore City South).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

the number of applicants for grants or loans under the Industrial State Aid Act received from Mysore City during the years 1952, 1953 and 1954 up-to-date; (Information may kindly be furnished as to the nature of the industry and amount given as State Aid)?

A.—SRI H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home and Industries).—

Year		*No. of Applications received*
1952	...	19
1953	...	5
1954	...	7

No loans have been sanctioned under the State Aid to Industries Act, 1951, to any of the applicants from Mysore City during the above period.

Myore Sugar Company Ltd., Bangalore (Removal of Chairman).

Q.—461. SRI S. GOPALA GOWDA (Sagar-Hosanagar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that the Mysore Government owns 55 per cent of the share value in the Mysore Sugar Company, Ltd., Bangalore;

(*b*) whether it is not a fact that the Mysore Government nominates four Directors out of seven Directors;

(*c*) whether it is not a fact that one of the nominated Directors was elected, in person of Sri A. G. Bandi Gowda, as Chairman;

(*d*) whether Sri A. G. Bandi Gowda was later removed from office by Government; if so, why?

A.—SRI H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home and Industries).—

(*a*) Yes.
(*b*) Yes.
(*c*) Yes.
(*d*) Yes; due to certain irregularities noticed during the Special Audit conducted by Government.